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Kensington, April 13.

THis Day the humble Addreſs of the Mayor and Corporation, *&c.* of the Borough of *Boſton*, in the County of *Lincoln*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by Sir *Edward Irby* Bar. and *Richard Wynn* Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament; being introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord High Treaſurer of *England*.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Town-Clerk, Common-Council Men, and other Gentlemen, Clergy, and Inhabitants, of Your Majeſty's ancient Borough of *Boſton* in the County of *Lincoln*.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE *Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, humbly beg Leave to congratulate Your Majeſty upon the happy Union of Your Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland, which Your Majeſty is pleaſed to eſteem the greateſt Glory of Your Illuſtrious Reign, becauſe it brings with it (if we be not wanting to our ſelves) a firm Security (under God) of the Proteſtant Religion, and of the Succeſſion of the Crown as by Law eſtabliſhed; a mighty Acceſſion of Strength and Power, and alſo Peace and Happineſs to all Your Subjects of Great Britain.*

Thus Your Majeſty meaſures Your Honour and Glory by Your Beneficence to Your People, and gives a noble Example to all Princes how to attain Immortal Fame, not by trampling under Foot the Liberties of Subjects, but by doing all the Good poſſible to their People: This is to reſemble God, whoſe Vicegerent Your Majeſty is, and under the Almighty Influence of whoſe Providence, all the Dangers and Difficulties which attended this great Work, by wiſe and prudent Councils, and a ſteddy Management, have been avoided or overcome, and the End attained with great Diſpatch, Serenity and Quiet. And as this is Matter of great Joy and Wonder, ſo we further beg Leave to aſſure Your Majeſty, we ſhall ever preſerve a due Senſe of ſo great a Bleſſing, and improve it to the uttermoſt, by our conſtant and hearty Endeavours to become one with Scotland, as we are in the Profeſſion of the Proteſtant Religion and Civil Government, ſo in Intereſt and Affection too.

And that our Gracious God would continue to pour down His Bleſſings upon Your Majeſty, Your Royal Conſort, the Royal Family, and all Your Majeſty's Dominions, and that all Your Subjects of Great Britain may henceforth live in Brotherly Love and Charity one towards another, are and ſhall be the conſtant Wiſhes and Prayers of Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and obedient Subjects.

The following Addreſs from the Borough of *Berwick* upon *Tweed* was preſented to Her Majeſty by *Samuel Ogle* and *Jonathan Hutchinſon* Eſqs; their Repreſentatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Sunderland*, one of Her Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Bayliffs and Burgeſſes, of the Borough of *Berwick* upon *Tweed*, in Guild aſſembled.

Dread Sovereign,

AMongſt all the Glories of Your Majeſty's Reign, (the leaſt of which may be accounted Surprizing) none more conſpicuouſly illuſtrate Your wiſe and prudent Adminiſtration than the Union of the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland.

A Work vainly attempted by the greateſt and wiſeſt of Your Royal Progenitors, yet effected by Your Majeſty's unſhaken Reſolution and Conſtancy, triumphantly encountering and conquering the greateſt Difficulties that attended it.

Your Majeſty hath hereby firmly ſecured and eſtabliſhed the Proteſtant Religion and Hanoverian Succeſſion to the whole Iſland, diſſipated the Fears of all Your Subjects in general, effectually provided for their Peace and Quiet, and at the ſame time diſappointed our Enemies at home and abroad, of all their pernicious Deſigns, which they flatter'd themſelves by the fatal Diviſion of Your Two Kingdoms, to improve to the Deſtruction of both.

And though the happy Conſequences attending this Work are highly advantagious to all Your Majeſty's Subjects, yet none will more effectually ſhare of them than Your Majeſty's Town of Berwick upon Tweed, being at once, by this Union, of a Frontier Gariſon, become the Center of Your united Kingdom; whereby, inſtead of the Diſquiet naturally reſulting from the terrible Idea's of Fire and Sword, the too too fatal Haraſſers of theſe bordering Places in former Reigns, in Ruptures between the Two Kingdoms, we may with Safety undiſturbed ſolace our ſelves with the tranſporting Pleaſure of being incompaſſed with loyal and faithful Britains.

It remains that we aſſure Your Majeſty, That we ſhould be highly ingrateful to Your Majeſty, and wanting to our ſelves, if we did not vigilantly and readily embrace all Occaſions of giving diſtinguiſhing Proofs of our Sincerity and Heartineſs utterly to efface and raze out all thoſe Feuds and Animoſities, Heats and Prejudices, which have been too long and too much foſtered and mutually encouraged in both Nations; and by our gentle and affectionate Diſpoſition to each other, convince the World, That we are in Heart as well as by Treaty an United People.

In Teſtimony whereof we have hereunto affixed our Common Seal this Fourth Day of April, in the 6th Year of Your Majeſty's Glorious Reign.

The following Addreſs has alſo been preſented to Her Majeſty.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Sheriffs, Citizens, and Commonalty, of the City of Norwich, in Common Council aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

THE deep Senſe we have of the Happineſs we enjoy under Your Majeſty's moſt juſt, wiſe and mild Government, makes us glad of every Occaſion to render You our unfeigned Acknowledgments for the ſame: And ſince the Uniting of the Two Kingdoms, accompliſh'd by Your great Wiſdom and Goodneſs, gives Your Subjects freſh Matter of Love and Admiration, we humbly beg leave to bear a Part in the Eulogies of the Britiſh Choir, now celebrating Your Glory. Princes are ſtiled Gods, for being ſomething like God in the Attribute of Power; tho' ſuch deſerve the Title beſt, who, like Your Majeſty, reſemble him in Goodneſs. Your Majeſty's great Wiſdom in making Choice of ſo wiſe and Prudent a Miniſtry, a Valiant General, and Your Exemplary Juſtice to Your People, will tranſmit Your Name more Glorious to Poſterity than all Your Triumphs; and the Bright Anna *muſt always ſtand Foremoſt in the Regiſter of Fame.*

The Settlement of the Proteſtant Succeſſion throughout Great Britain is a viſible Advantage to the Church of England as by Law eſtabliſhed; and Your Majeſty by that and the Union, (the Effect of Your inceſſant Care for the Honour of God, and the Good of Your People) has made a laſting Proviſion for the Security of our Civil and Religious Rights, and the flouriſhing State of this Iſland, as far as humane Foreſight can reach. We do aſſure Your Majeſty, That we ſhall endeavour to improve the Conſequences of this great Work, by uniting in Affection with all Your Subjects of the whole Iſland; and by our conſtant, kind and reſpectful Behaviour to them, and dutiful Regard to Your Majeſty, demonſtrate how deſirous we are that Your Government may be eaſie to You.

We ardently implore the Divine Goodneſs for the long Continuance of the moſt Valuable Life in the World: And as Your Majeſty has entirely our Hearts, ſo You may depend upon it we can never with-hold any thing from You that Your Service needs. This is the true Temper of, Madam, Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and faithful Subjects and Servants, Given under the Common Seal of our ſaid City the 4th Day of April, in the Sixth Year of Your Majeſty's Reign.

All which Addreſſes Her Majeſty received very graciouſly.

Valentia, March 6. *N. S.* The King of Spain intends to go from this Place in a Day or two to Tortoſa, and thence to Barcelona. The Earl Rivers came hither the 4th Inſtant, and intends in two or three Days to return to Alicant. Our Troops are in a very good Condition, and preparing to take the Field.

Berne, April 9. Mr. Stanyan, Her Majeſty of Great Britain's Envoy Extraordinary, returned hither laſt Night from Coire, where he has concluded a Treaty with the Griſons for a free Paſſage to be allowed through their Territories, to ſuch Troops and Convoys as the Emperor and his Allies may have Occaſion to ſend into Italy. Count Metternich, the King of Pruſſia's Miniſter, who has reſided here during the Winter, ſet out the firſt Inſtant for Zurich, in order to deliver his Letters of Credence to that Canton; but will ſhortly return hither. They write from Turin, That the Evacuation of Final was put off till the 2d Inſtant, and that Prince Eugene had appointed Monſieur de la Mar, Lieut. Col. of his own Regiment of Dragoons, to take Poſſeſſion of that Place for the King of Spain, and to be Governor there. The Letters from Milan ſay, the Enemy were the ſame Day to evacuate Mantua, Cremona, Sabionetta, and all the other Places which they had not yet quitted. The Gariſon of the Caſtle of Milan, which marched out the 20th paſt, and did then conſiſt of 700 Men, is ſaid to be reduced to 300, all the Spaniſh, Italian and Swiſs Soldiers having quitted the Enemy's Service; and thoſe of other Gariſons will probably do the like. Letters from Lions give an Account of a great Inſurrection in the Diſtrict of Querci.

Hague, April 19. *N. S.* The Duke of Marlborough landed at the Briſil the 16th Inſtant at Night: His Grace arrived here the next Day about two in the Afternoon, and dined with Mr. Stepney, Her Majeſty of Great Britain's Envoy Extraordinary, who was lately returned from Bruſſels: After which his Grace made a Viſit to the Great Penſionary, and another to the Preſident of the aſſembly of the States General. Yeſterday the Deputies of the States came to conſer with his Grace at his Lodgings, where he had another Conference with